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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2002, said period of response being extended from June 13, 2002 to July 13, 2002. Since July 13, 2002 falls on a Saturday, the due date is carried over to the next business day, July 15, 2002.

Please charge the fee of \$110.00 and any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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